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DEVICE FOR MIXING TWO PASTY SUBSTANCES,
IN PARTICULAR FOR MIXING A DENTAL IMPRESSION
SUBSTANCE WITH A CATALYST SUBSTANCE

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before line 1, insert the following heading:

-- TITLE OF THE INVENTION --;

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-- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --;

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